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SUBJECT: MTN: QR CONSULTATIONS

1. FOLLOWING NOTIFICATIONS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES
HAVE BEEN RECEIVED TO DATE. WE EXPECT MORE TO FOLLOW
SHORTLY. THE NOTIFICATIONS FROM NEW ZEALAND AND TURKEY
WERE RECEIVED UNDER COVER NOTE OF GATT SECRETARIAT
WHILE NOTIFICATIONS FROM AUSTRALIA AND ARGENTINA WERE
RECEIVED DIRECTLY FROM THOSE DELEGATIONS.

2. FROM TURKEY:

BTN TARIFF ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCTS	TYPE OF QUAN- TITATIVE REST.
27.10	GASOLINE (MOTOR AND AIRCRAFT	QUOTA AND LICENSING
280.5	MERCURY	LICENSING
53.11	WOVEN FABRICS OF LAMBS' WOOL	QUOTA
55.01	COTTON NOT CARDED FOR COMBED	QUOTA & LICENSING
55.05	COTTON YARN NOT PUT UP FOR	QUOTA

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RETAIL SALE

55.09 EX. GREY CLOTH QUOTA
55.09.EX. PIECE-DYED AND PRINTED FABRIC QUOTA
58.01 CARPETS AND RUGS, KNOTTED QUOTA
60.05.EX. OUTER GARMETS (MADE OF WOOL QUOTA
AND HAIR)
61.01 MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTER GARMENTS QUOTA
61.02.EX. WOMEN'S GIRLS' AND INFANTS' QUOTA
OUTER GARMENTS (MADE OF COTTON)

3. FROM NEW ZEALAND

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	NATURE OF RESTRICTION
BEEF, VEAL AND MUTTON	QUOTAS
DAIRY PRODUCTS	QUOTAS

4. FROM E.C.

DESCRIPTION OF MEASURE	REFERENCE TO GATT DOCU- MENTATION AND COMMENT
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RESTRICTIONS APPLIED UNDER THE THE CONTINUED INVOCATION OF
TERMS OF THE MERCHANT MARINE ACT THE PROTOCOL OF PROVISIONAL
OF 1920 (TITLE 46 U.S.C.) TO APPLICATION IN THIS CASE
IMPORTS OF VARIOUS TYPES OFVESSELS SEEMS TO BE JUSTIFIABLE.
INCLUDING HOVERCRAFT, AND ALSO TO NTM CAT: 553
IMPORTED CONTAINERS FOR USE ON
U.S. VESSELS.

UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE U.S. COMMENT AS ABOVE
COPYRIGHT ACT, 1909 BOOKS IN
THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE BY AUTHORS
DOMICILED IN THE USA MUST BE
PRINTED AND BOUND IN THE USA IF A
A LOSS OF COPYRIGHT IS TO BE
AVOIDED. ALTHOUGH THERE ARE
MINOR EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE.
THE ACT EFFECTIVELY PREVENTS
THE IMPORT OF SUCH BOOKS WHEN
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THE USA.

PROHIBITION ON IMPORTED FIRE THE DISTINCTION APPLIED TO
ARMS UNLESS AUTHORIZED BY THE IMPORTED ARTICLES CANNOT
U.S. TREASURY FOR CERTAIN USES. APPARENTLY BE APPLIED TO
THE SAME DISTINCTION AS REGARDS DOMESTIC FIRE-ARMS (DUE TO
END-USE IS NOT APPLIED TO LEGAL PROBLEMS) AND THERE IS
SIMILAR U.S. PRODUCTS. THUS A CLEAR DISCRIMINATION

CONTRARY TO ARTICLE III.

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5. FROM AUSTRALIA.

BTN	DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT	NATURE OF RESTRICTION
02.01	MEAT AND EDIBLE OFFALS	CONTINGENCY QUOTA AND VOLUNTARY EXPORT RESTRAINTS
04.02	MILK AND CREAM, PRESERVED, CONCENTRATED OR SWEETENED	GLOBAL QUOTA, QUOTA
	DRIED BUTTER MILK AND WHEY	GLOBAL QUOTA, QUOTA
	DRIED SKIM MILK	GLOBAL QUOTA, QUOTA
	DRIED WHOLE MILK	GLOBAL QUOTA, QUOTA
	MILK AND CREAM, CONDENSED AND EVAPORATED	GLOBAL QUOTA, QUOTA
04.03	BUTTER	GLOBAL QUOTA, QUOTA
	JUNEX (PRODUCT CONTAINING 5.5 PERCENT- 45 PERCENT BUTTER FAT)	
040.04	CHEESE	QUOTA

6. FROM ARGENTINA

03.01	11010	SEA HERRING SMELTS AND TUNA FRESH, CHILLED OR FROZEN	TARIFF QUOTA
03.01	11015	COD CUSK EELS HADDOCK HAKE, ETC.; FRESH, CHILLED OR FROZEN	TARIFF
03.01	11040	FISH, FRESH, CHLD, FROZ., SCLD, EVISC. ETC. EX. IN CNTRS OVER 15 LB.	TARIFF QUOTA

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03.01	11047	FISH, SKINNED AND BONED, IN FROZEN BLOCKS OVER 10 POUNDS	TARIFF QUOTA
03.01	11070	FISH NES, FRESH, CHLD, FROZ OTHERWISE PROCESSED	TARIFF QUOTA
04.04	11725	CHEESE, EDAM AND GOUDA	BILATERAL QUOTAS
04.04	11755	ROMANO FROM COW MILK REGGINO, PARMESAN, PROVOLOMI, PORVOLETI CHEESE	QUOTA
11.09	18295	EDIBLE PREPARATIONS EXCEPT GELATIN, ETC.	BILATERAL QUOTAS
17.01	15520	SUGAR SIRUP MOLASSES	BILATERAL QUOTAS
		PRINCIPAL CRYSTALLINE OR DRY AMORPHOUS-VARIOUS	

17.04 15710 CANDY AND OTHER CONFECTIONNERY GLOBAL QUOTAS/

BILATERAL QUOTAS

18.06 15710 CANDY AND OTHER CONFECTIONNERY BILATERAL QUOTAS

21.07 18295 EDIBLE PREPARATIONS BILATERAL QUOTAS
EXCEPT GELATIN ETC.

43.01 12410 FURSKINS NES RAW OR DRESSED PROHIBITION
OR EMBARGO

93.04 73027 RIFLES, VALUED OVER U\$S 10 PROHIBITION OR
EMBARGO

93.07 73090 CARTRIDGES AND EMPTY PROHIBITION OR
CARTRIDGES SHELLS EMBARGO

7. THE CHAIRMAN'S SUMMING UP OF THE NTM PARENT GROUP MEETING
OF JUNE 23-24 (MTN/NTM/6) CONTAINED THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTION
OF THE PROCEDURES FOR THE QR CONSULTATIONS.

QUOTE: THE GROUP AGREED THAT TECHNICAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE
CONDUCT OF THE CONSULTATIONS OR DISCUSSIONS WOULD AS FAR AS
POSSIBLE BE MADE BY THE EXPORRTING AND IMPORTING COUNTRIES CON-

CERNED AND THAT THE SECRETARIAT SHOULD, IF REQUESTED, BE READY
TO ASSIST BY PROVIDING MEETING ROOMS AND INTERPRETATION
FACILITIES FOR SUCH CONSULTATIONS OR DISCUSSIONS AND, AGAIN
WHERE EXPORTING AND IMPORTING COUNTRIES SO REQUEST, BY ARRANGING
CONTACTS BETWEEN DELEGATIONS WISHING TO CONSULT. END QUOTE.
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8. CONSULTATIONS COULD BEGIN BETWEEN U.S. AND ABOVE COUNTRIES
WITH RECEIPT HERE OF NECESSARY BACKGROUND MATERIALS ON QR'S
NOTIFIED BY AND AGAINST U.S. PLEASE ADVISE STATUS OF PREPARATION
OF THIS MATERIAL. MCNAMARA

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